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In re Application of

Anthony H. Dodge et al.

Serial No.: 09/449,204

Filed: November 24, 1999

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Sir/Madam:

Responsive to the *Notice to File Missing Parts - Filing Date Granted* dated December 27, 1999, enclosed herewith are the following documents:

- 1. Combination Declaration and Power of Attorney duly executed by five inventors;
- 2. Combination Declaration and Power of Attorney duly executed by one inventor;
- 3. Notice to File Missing Parts Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533 Part 2).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the appropriate surcharge fee of \$130 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-0630 (our Ref. P1543R1). A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The from Indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1:136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of □ \$65.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or □-\$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply

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- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts and copy of same, including:
 - a. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney duly executed by five inventors;
 - b. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney duly executed by one inventor;
 - c. Notice to File Missing Parts Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533 Part 2);
 - d. Authorization to charge \$130.00 surcharge to deposit account.
- 2. Petition for One Month Extension of Time and copy of same including:
 - a. Authorization to charge \$110.00 fee to deposit account.
- 3. Postage pre-paid return postcard.

In the event any additional fees are due in connection with the filing of these documents, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 07-0630 (our ref. P1543R1).

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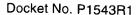
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate have a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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